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SYSTEM, IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS, )  
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**of Correction**

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LETTER CALLING ATTENTION TO ERRORS IN PATENT

Sir:

The following minor errors have been noted in the above-identified patent:

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Line 20, " $|\Delta Y1 + \Delta Y2 + \Delta Y3| < |\Delta Y1|$ " should read

-- $|\Delta Y1 + \Delta Y2 + \Delta Y3| < |\Delta Y1|$ --.

COLUMN 8

Line 8, "difference" should read --different--.

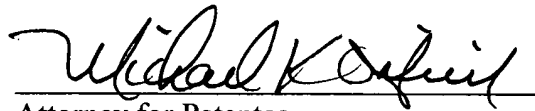
COLUMN 20

Line 32, "one" should read --ones--.

These errors appear to be relatively insignificant and, therefore, we do not believe it is necessary to request a Certificate of Correction. However, it is requested that this paper be placed in the filewrapper of the above-identified patent.

Patentee's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should be directed to our new address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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